Picture Yourself in California

For 50 years, the UC Education Abroad Program (UCEAP) has welcomed reciprocal exchange students to the University of California for the experience of a lifetime. You could be next. Experience California while attending classes along with UC students at one of the top public universities in the world. By studying on UCEAP you will gain new academic insights, broader understanding of other cultures, and the preparation to excel in an internationally competitive world.

UC's campuses are waiting for you. All are unique and special, just like you!

BERKELEY

UC Berkeley offers everything you could want: internationally recognized academics, winning sports teams, and a location in a large, vibrant city next to the San Francisco Bay. You can study in one of the most distinguished university libraries in the nation, stroll through its art museum, or spend your time in the Pacific Film Archives. A rich intellectual environment and a spirit of pluralism combine to make UC Berkeley an outstanding academic experience.

DAVIS

Imagine yourself in a relaxed college town near the state capital city of Sacramento, just a short drive away from the San Francisco Bay Area, Napa Valley wine country, and superb skiing at Lake Tahoe. At UC Davis, you can study with a distinguished faculty of scholars and scientists in many different fields. Choose from a variety of subject areas, such as agricultural and environmental sciences, social sciences, or the arts and humanities. In addition, UCD offers the largest undergraduate engineering program in the UC system, offering programs in 17 different fields of engineering. If you are looking for outstanding opportunities, then Davis is the campus for you.

IRVINE

Do you want to live in dynamic Orange County (OC) while attending high-quality academic programs? UC Irvine has it all: the strengths of a major research university with the beauty of an incomparable Southern California location just a short distance from Los Angeles, the Pacific Ocean, and the mountains and desert. You can study arts, humanities, biological science, and engineering. UC Irvine excels through diversity in its faculty, student, and staff populations, as well as its teaching and research. Take advantage of this modern and friendly campus, and you will have a rewarding exchange experience.

LOS ANGELES

Are you motivated to study at one of the top ten research universities in the U.S.? UC Los Angeles attracts students with exceptional academic backgrounds, varied intellectual interests, and strong character. You could be a part of one of the world's most ethnically diverse campuses and the largest student body in the UC system. A city within a city, UCLA offers you a vibrant urban campus in an interesting and culturally rich environment.

MERced

Most students cite personal attention as a reason to choose UC Merced. You can work with acclaimed researchers, gain a broad knowledge of theory, and develop practical skills at the forefront of discovery. UC Merced offers undergraduate majors in engineering, natural sciences, social sciences, and humanities. Master's and doctoral programs are offered in selected academic fields. The new 2,000-acre campus is just over an hour drive from the renowned Yosemite National Park, one of three major national parks where you can conduct research and also enjoy some of California's finest recreational areas for skiing, rafting, and hiking.

RIVERSIDE

If you are looking for a major research university with a friendly campus environment and close faculty-student interaction, UC Riverside is the campus for you. The 1,200-acre, park-like campus is located 60 miles east of Los Angeles. Seize this opportunity for discovery. You can learn from and work with innovative professors who have earned national and international recognition for their teaching and research. Exceptional opportunities include business administration for advanced undergraduates, a wide range of engineering majors, and environmental sciences programs. The Riverside experience awaits you.

SAN DIEGO

UC San Diego is the University's southernmost campus, yet it is just two hours from Los Angeles. Travel 28 miles to the south and you can explore another culture in Mexico. The serenity setting of the campus, with its giant eucalyptus trees and spectacular views of the Pacific Ocean, strikes a perfect balance with the academically charged atmosphere. Since UCSD's founding just four decades ago, it has become one of the top institutions in the nation for higher education and research. UCSD's strong interdisciplinary approach and tradition of innovation have made it an internationally respected destination for both scholars and students like you.

SAN FRANCISCO

The UC San Francisco campus is devoted solely to health and biomedical sciences. Its graduate division in the biological sciences and schools of dentistry, medicine, nursing, and pharmacy all rank among the nation's top professional programs. UCSF is known for its scientific discoveries, teaching excellence, and patient care. Surrounded by picturesque neighborhoods, UCSF is adjacent to San Francisco's Golden Gate Park.

UCSF is a graduate medical school.

SANTA BARBARA

Away from urban pressures, UC Santa Barbara provides a superb learning environment. You will love its beaches and breathtaking views of the ocean and nearby mountains. Santa Barbara's students are always on the move, whether biking, walking, or skateboarding to classes or waiting for the next big wave. Do not be misled by its relaxed atmosphere; UCSB has all the resources of an internationally recognized research university. It offers programs ranked in the top ten in faculty quality including geography, religious studies, and physics. Home of one of the first environmental studies programs in the nation, UCSB makes environmental awareness a high priority. From the arts and humanities to the physical sciences, you will experience a high academic standard with internationally acclaimed faculty in a natural setting.

SANTA CRUZ

A wooded hillside overlooking the Monterey Bay is home to one of UC's most beautiful campuses: UC Santa Cruz. The UCSC tradition of creative thinking and innovation fuels both a vibrant arts community and the renowned high-technology industry of the Silicon Valley. In addition to traditional majors in the arts, engineering, humanities, physical and biological sciences, and social sciences, UCSC is a major center for marine sciences and research. You can participate in the creation of new technologies, new works of human expression, and new understandings. At UCSC, you will have all of the advantages of a small college setting with the resources of a major research university.

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